

before becoming the airport director at Stillwater. As airport director, Gary has been a fixture in the Oklahoma aviation community, even serving as president of the Oklahoma Airport Operators Association twice. Gary was awarded the Airport Manager of the Year in 2017, the same year that Stillwater Regional Airport was recognized as Oklahoma Airport of the Year by the Oklahoma Airport Operators Association and the Federal Aviation Administration.

At the Federal level, Gary has been a passionate advocate for aviation, serving on the board of the American Association of Airport Executives and as a vocal member of the U.S. Contract Tower Association, ensuring that all Members of Congress are aware of the importance of general aviation to their constituents and to their communities.

I know that I join his family, the Stillwater Regional Airport, and the city of Stillwater community in thanking Gary for his years of service and contributions to the aviation community.

Congratulations on your retirement.●

REMEMBERING PETE CLEMONS

● Mr. NELSON. Mr. President, I would like to recognize the legacy of an extraordinary fourth generation Floridian and friend who passed away last weekend.

Otis Odell "Pete" Clemons died on September 16, 2018, at the age of 91. He was a well-known Florida cowboy. In fact, he won the Best All Around Cowboy honors at Silver Spurs Rodeo a record eight times. His rodeo skills inspired artist Buster Kenton to create a cartoon character named Cowboy Jake.

Pete served his country in the U.S. Navy during World War II. After the war, he attended the University of Florida and earned his bachelor's degree in 1950.

He became the owner and operator of the Okeechobee Livestock Market. The market continues to operate today under the management of his two sons, Jeff and Todd Clemons.

Notably, Pete is the only person to be inducted into the Florida Agriculture Hall of Fame and the Florida Sports Hall of Fame. In 2009, he received the Florida Folk Heritage Award in recognition of his successful rodeo career, as well as his contributions to the State's cattle-ranching community.

Pete was a longtime member of the Okeechobee Cattlemen's Association and served as honorary director of the Florida Cattlemen's Association. He was an active member of the First United Methodist Church.

I extend my deepest condolences to his family, particularly his wife Susanne and his children: Jeff Clemons and his wife Debbie and Todd Clemons and his wife Tina. Pete is also survived by his siblings, Billie Jean Reynolds and her husband Mark and Bud Clemons and his wife Kathy, as well as

his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.●

RECOGNIZING BATESVILLE TOOL & DIE, INC.

● Mr. YOUNG. Mr. President, I wish to rise today to extend my heartfelt congratulations to the Fledderman family and the employees at Batesville Tool & Die, Inc., BTD, as they celebrate their 40th anniversary. Headquartered in Batesville, IN, BTD has become a global manufacturer of superior metal stampings for appliance, industrial, and automotive markets.

Founded in 1978 by Ron Fledderman, BTD started with a single press and a small tool room. The current second-generation president and CEO, Jody Fledderman, took the reins in 1989 with the same promise to his customers: to provide quality, low-cost products with technical expertise. Today the company is estimated to be a multimillion-dollar business with nearly 1,000 employees. As a member of the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship, it is important that we recognize the value small and medium-sized businesses have in rural communities like Batesville, IN.

I ask that my colleagues join me in honoring the Fledderman family and the workers at Batesville Tool & Die, Inc., for their 40 years of dedicated customer service and economic innovation.●

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on today, September 18, 2018, she had presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bill:

S. 994. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for the protection of community centers with religious affiliation, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-6519. A communication from the Acting Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishing a Performance Standard for Authorizing the Importation and Interstate Movement of Fruits and Vegetables" (RIN0579-AD71) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 17, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6520. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-443, "Fiscal Year 2018 Revised Local Budget Temporary Adjustment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6521. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report

on D.C. Act 22-444, "Anacostia River Toxics Remediation Temporary Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6522. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-445, "Credit Protection Fee Waiver Temporary Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6523. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-446, "At-Risk Tenant Protection Clarifying Temporary Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6524. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-447, "Southwest Waterfront Park Bus Prohibition Temporary Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6525. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-448, "Southwest Waterfront Parking Enforcement Temporary Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6526. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-452, "Campaign Finance Reform and Transparency Temporary Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6527. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-438, "Vital Records Modernization Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6528. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-439, "Omnibus Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6529. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-440, "Redevelopment of the Center Leg Freeway (Interstate 395)"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6530. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-441, "Homeless Shelter Replacement Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6531. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-442, "Fair Elections Implementation Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6532. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-449, "Traffic and Parking Ticket Penalty Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6533. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-450, "East End Certificate of Need Maximum Fee Establishment Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on